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The **U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom**

has urged the Obama administration to demand that Iran release the Christian pastor.

**USCIRF** Chair Leonard Leo said Nadarkhani's case was "evidence that there is no transparency or justice in Iran's so-called legal system for religious minorities."

Nadarkhani remains in prison and his fate is uncertain as he awaits the outcome of an appeal filed at the Supreme Court last December. A hearing is due to take place in the next two months.